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DR. FRED KELLER ADDRESSES CLASS

EIGHT COMPLETE HIGH SCHOOL WORK AT TEACHERS COLLEGE

OTHERS FINISH IN SUMMER

Elizabeth Shamberger Is Valedictorian, Oma Bancroft, Salutatorian—Many At Exercises.

Eight students were graduated from the high school department at the State Teachers College this morning. Places on the stage were also reserved for others who plan to complete their work during the summer quarter. The class address was given by Dr. Fred Keller, whose topic was "Forward Look."

The valedictorian of the class was Elizabeth Shamberger, and the salutatorian was Oma Bancroft. Two other honor students were Lela Freelove Combs and Jessamine Williams.

In his address to the class Dr. Keller brought out the point if one sets a goal, the way to attainment will open itself although at the start the finish may not be in view. He said that mental possibilities are secured through effort and work and that man has risen in order to look beyond. Men rise by association with the best people, for such an association will give them better and broader ideals. He asked that the class keep up their work in school, as that was one road to achievement. Pointing out the fact that their goal has previously been the attainment of a high school education, he asked that they now strive for greater worlds to conquer in the way of a college course.

The class was presented to President Ira Richardson by Dean George H. Colbert. They were presented with their diplomas by Doctor Richardson and as each diploma was given out he had a word for the graduate receiving it.

During the program music was furnished by the college orchestra and a solo was sung by Miss Lucile Simms.

Parents of many of the graduates were present and some out of town visitors were also in attendance. Many of the students of the College took advantage of the opportunity and came to hear the addresses.

The advisors of the class are Professors Cook, Hawkins, Miller and Keller and Miss Hopkins.

The following students have completed their high school work, and were presented with diplomas: Cleola Dowis, Gladys Canaday, Lorena Palmer, Lyda Trosper, Bessie Danner, Elizabeth Shamberger, Frederick Kurtz and John Lawton.

Other members of the senior class, part of whom will finish their course this summer, are Oma Bancroft, Ada Brandt, Lela Freelove Combs, Bessie McElroy, Mabel McGuire, Mary Martin, Jessamine Williams, Mrs. Mary Tarpley, Anna Mackelwain, Perry Karr, James Draper and Gilbert Neal.

SUES PRESIDENT'S SISTER FOR DAMAGES FOR LIBEL.

Washington, May 25.—Mrs. Caroline Vetaw, sister of President Harding, is named as defendant in a suit filed today in the supreme court here by Dr. E. Lee Cole for damages for libel. The doctor alleges that during a recent suit for divorce Mrs. Vetaw wrote a letter to Justice Stafford presiding, containing libelious statements "intending to injure plaintiff in his good name and reputation."

Left for Barnesville, O. .....

Dr. E. C. Braniger and James R. Braniger left last night for Barnesville, O., where they were called by the death of E. J. Hoge. Mr. Hoge is a brother-in-law of R. S. Braniger of this city.

The Circus is Here

Clowns and bareback riders, kangaroos, elephants and everything. Take your family to the

Electric Theatre

to see "THE LITTLE CLOWN," a beautiful story of the circus with MARY MILES MINTER as the heroine. This feature will be shown tonight and tomorrow. Matinee at 3:00—11c and 22c; night 7:30 and 9:00—11c and 22c.

FIRST BAND CONCERT HELD TOMORROW NIGHT

The following is the program to be to be given at the band concert tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock at the band stand in the Court House yard:

March—"The Olymphiad," C. Arthur.

Overture—"Altar of Genius," K. L. King.

Fox Trot—"Make Believe," Shilkert.

Barcarolle—"O Belle Nuit," from "Tales of Hoffman," J. Offenbach.

"China Moon," Thornton.

"War March of the Priests," from "Althalia," Mendelsohn.

Fox Trot—"Rebecca," Kalmor.

March—"The Girl of Eagle Ranch," English.

"Star Spangled Banner."

YESTERDAY WAS YEARS' HOTTEST DAY—91 DEGREES

Mercury Climbed Only to 90 On Sunday and Monday—No Rain In Sight Yet.

Yesterday was the year's hottest day, according to the thermometer of Weather Observer J. R. Brink. The mercury reached 91 degrees yesterday, which was one degree higher than it climbed on Sunday and Monday. The statement that it had touched 92 on Monday was a mistake, Mr. Brink said.

The mercury climbed well this morning, but the observer did not think yesterday's record would be broken. The weather prediction for today is for fair skies and continued warmth.

MISS RUTH HOUCHENS WILL GIVE CLASS SALUTATORY

Ranks Next to John Allen DeMotte in Grades—Exercises To Be In College Auditorium

A salutatory by Miss Ruth Houchens will be an added feature of class day program to be given by the graduating class of the Maryville High School in the College Auditorium tomorrow night. Miss Houchens' grade in the four years of her high school work was the highest in the class with the exception of that of John Allen DeMotte, valedictorian.

The class day exercises were changed from the High School Auditorium to the College in an effort to accomodate the large crowd which always attends the annual event.

COLLEGE PRESIDENT IS VICTORIOUS OVER CUPID

Head of William Woods College Kidnaps 18-year-old Student to Prevent Marriage.

Fulton, Mo., May 25.—The wedding of G. W. Duvall, Jr., of Kansas City and Miss Saida Sherman of Oklahoma City, who is attending William Woods College, is indefinitely postponed today.

Duvall got a marriage license yesterday and all plans had been completed. The president of the college, however, learned about the license and late yesterday kidnapped the 18-year-old bride-to-be and took her in a high powered car to Jefferson City, placing her aboard a train en route home.

Duvall learned the girl had been taken away from the college and he hired a taxi and gave chase. Tire trouble developed a few miles from Fulton and he was forced to abandon pursuit.

FIRE DESTROYED HAY AND GRAIN, ALSO BUILDING.

Kansas City, May 25.—Fire early today destroyed hay and grain valued at $75,000 and buildings to the extent of $35,000 owned by W. North and Brothers. The origin of the fire has been undetermined. The flames spread and also destroyed three box cars. The contents were valued at $12,000. The buildings were entirely gutted. The total loss is estimated at $125,000.

ST. LOUIS MERCHANT ATTENDS YEHLE STORE HOUSE WARMING

A. C. Lueking, vice-president of the Ely-Walker Dry Goods Company of St. Louis, attended the opening of the Yehle Dry Goods Company in their new home today. Mr. Lueking said such a store was a credit to a city the size of Maryville.

Has Tonsil Operation.

Glenn Power, son of Prof. and Mrs. W. A. Power, underwent an operation to remove his tonsils and adenoids at the St. Francis Hospital yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. Karl Malotte and family, who have been making their home for a number of months at Mound City returned to Maryville today to reside.

CHURCHES AT WORK ON CHILDREN'S DAY

WILL HAVE PROGRAMS JUNE 5 AND JUNE 12

ADULTS TO TAKE PART

Older Folks Who Attend Sunday School Will Contribute A Number At Buchanan Street Methodist.

The Worker's Council of the Buchanan Street Methodist church met last night to plan a program for the Sunday School Day service, which is a new name for the Children's Day entertainment, to be held on Sunday night, June 5. Various committees were appointed and the program will be arranged by a member from each class, and Mrs. Eldon Lloyd, Mrs. Harl Holt, Mrs. J W. Cornell, who have charge of the children's department. Unlike former years, when the little tots gave the entire program, the Buchanan Methodist Church plans for each Sunday school class, including the adult classes to contribute a number.

The First Presbyterian Church will have its Children's Day program on Sunday morning, June 12. Mrs. Gallatin Craig is chairman of the program committee and will be assisted by Mrs. S. P. Allison, Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Miss Halcyon Hooker, Miss Mary Watson and Miss Margaret Dietz. The children will commence practicing for the entertainment within a short time. The baptism of infants is to be a beautiful feature of the service.

Mrs. Harry A. Miller is in charge of the program at the First Baptist Church, which will take place on Sunday night, June 12. Mrs. J. D. England has charge of the numbers which will be contributed by the Primary and Beginner's department, Mrs. Miller the Intermediate department and Mrs. L. E. White the Junior department. The numbers contributed by the Intermediate department will be of a patriotic nature. The children will start practicing Sunday.

The First Methodist Church will observe Children's Day on June 12, but the time for the program has not yet been decided upon Miss Ruth Matter and Mrs. Charles Gaugh are in charge of the entertainment, assisted by Mrs. O. L. Curl who will train the Junior choir.

The First Christian Church program will be in charge of G. B. Roseberry, Mrs. Ellis Cook and Mrs. Vada Halley. The missionary program sent out by the office in St. Louis, will be used.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS BUYS TENT FOR ITS MEETINGS

Committee Calls for Volunteers to Erect the Canvas Structure on Lot Near the Church.

A committee from the Men's Bible class of the First Christian church composed of the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, Theodore Robinson, Ellis G. Cook and Edward W. Gray went to St. Joseph yesterday and purchased a tent, 40 feet by 60 feet to be erected tomorrow afternoon on grounds near the church. The committee is asking for volunteers who will assist in pitching the tent.

A class of 219 men attended Sunday school last Sunday and it is hoped a still larger class will be present next Sunday when the service will be held in the tent. Efforts are being made to get Judge A. D. Burnes of Platte City to be the next speaker. To date, definite word has not been received from him.

SNODGRASS CONDUCTS BURIAL RITES AT SAVANNAH TUESDAY

Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, pastor of the First Christian Church was in Savannah yesterday conducting the funeral services for Francis Crabb, a member of his congregation when pastor there. Mr. Crabb was run over by a truck in Denver, Colo., and died ten days following the accident.

Mrs. Funk to Visit Here.

Mrs. Cleay Funk and son, Billie, of Omaha will arrive in Maryville tonight for a visit at the home of Mrs. Funk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Sturm.

I C E!!

We call at ice plant, get your order and deliver ice to any part of city. Han. 171; Farmers 157.

Hasty Package and Delivery Co.

MEANEST BURGLAR STEALS LITTLE CHILD'S SAVINGS

Intruder Break Baby Heart by Taking Toy Bank With Store of Pennies and Nickels.

The world's meanest burglar has visited the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Holt on West Third street some time recently. He stole a baby's bank.

Harl, the little son of Dr. and Mrs. Holt, has for two or three years been saving his pennies and nickels and putting them in one of the little toy banks distributed by the Nodaway Valley Bank. He had accumulated six or seven dollars by his consistent saving. The bank was kept in a little-used trunk, and yesterday when Mrs. Holt looked there it was gone. Clothing and other articles in the trunk had been ruffled and tossed about, showing that some intruder had forced open the trunk.

Nothing else was missed from the house, and there was no way of telling when the theft had been committed.

TO GIVE BENEFIT FOR HANDICAPPED

TALENT FROM FIVE CHURCHES WILL TAKE PART.

SOCIETY HAS 60 MEMBERS

Nodaway County Association for the Physically Handicapped Is Now Well Organized.

An entertainment given by the best talent in the five Protestant church of Maryville will be held at the First Christian church Tuesday night of next week for the benefit of the Nodaway County Association of the Physically Handicapped. The program will commence at 8 o'clock.

The entertainment is being sponsored by Miss L. Anna Owens assisted by Mrs. J. W. Ray. Mrs. Robert Lyle is in charge of the numbers of the program to be contributed by the First Christian church, Mrs. Charles Gaugh at the First Methodist church, Mrs. Gallatin Craig of the First Presbyterian church, Mrs. Eugene Ogden of the First Baptist church and Mrs. Charles Thorp of the Buchanan Street Methodist church. These chairmen will be assisted by committees. The program will be varied in nature.

The funds will be used for forwarding the work of the organization, which will continue under the direction of the local officers after Miss Owens, its instigator, will leave next week for Macon, Mo., to organize units in Macon and Randolph counties.

The association now has more than sixty members and all organizations and clubs to which Miss Owens has spoken, have been most responsive.

ADVOCATES OF COUNTY UNIT LAW TO SPEAK AT MEETINGS

Will Combat Circulation of Referendum Petitions by Opponents—Gaynor Saturday Night.

Advocates of the County Unit Law will have several meetings this week to combat the referendum petitions which are being circulated for signatures by opponents of the measure. Several men, both farmers and teachers, will be available as speakers at these meetings.

Bert Cooper, county superintendent of schools, will explain the provisions of the law at a meeting tonight at the Reddick Schoolhouse, in the northeast part of the county, near Sheridan. Saturday night there will be a meeting at Gaynor, at which Mr. Cooper will also speak.

C. P. Dowis is available as a speaker for meetings in the north part of the county, Leslie Somerville in the west, and Ernest Wray near Maryville. Speakers can also be secured at the State Teachers College.

DEAN COLBERT WILL SPEAK AT METHODIST INDOOR PICNIC

Dean G. H. Colbert of the State Teachers College will speak at the monthly indoor picnic tonight at the First Methodist church. W. A. Blagg who was first scheduled to speak, has been called out of town. Mr. Colbert will speak on "The College and the Community."

The picnic supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock in the basement of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Roach motored to St. Joseph this morning to spend the day.

769 INDIVIDUALS GIVEN INSTRUCTION

FIGURES ARE ANNOUNCED ON YEAR'S ENROLLMENT.

COMPARISON FAVORABLE

Other Colleges Did Not Have as Many Students as Maryville State Teachers College.

The enrollment of the State Teachers College in the school year which will close at the end of the summer session will compare favorably with the number of students in other colleges of the state in the same class, according to figures announced today by President Ira Richardson. He issued the following data this afternoon:

"The spring quarter of the State Teachers College closes today. The college year will not close until after the summer session.

"The term enrollment for the fall, winter, and spring term totalled 753. The enrollment in extension center classes to date for this year is 309, in correspondence study 131, in the College Park Demonstration school 105, children's division of the department of music, 35, making a total of 1,333 enrollments.

"This figure will be augmented by additional correspondence enrollments and the enrollment for the summer session, which opens Monday, May 30. Deducting names counted more than once, leaves a total of 769 individuals to whom instruction has been given thus far this year. This last figure is made up of 290 individuals in correspondence and extension work, 339 individual college enrollments; children in demonstration school 105, children's division department of musie 35, making a total of 769 individuals to whom the college has given instruction in one form or another up to date this year.

"The correspondence extension work shows an increase of 225 per cent over last year. Twenty-two extension center classes have been conducted by members of the faculty in nine different towns. Ten of the extension classes have been in the city of St. Joseph. There has been an average enrollment for the three quarters of the year 251. This is an average increase of more than 27 per cent over last year.

"Comparing these enrollments with those of the other teachers colleges of the state from whose registrars President Richardson has had reports, we find that Kirksville shows an average decrease of 4 per cent over last year, Warrensburg an average increase of 1 per cent over last year and Cape Girardeau an average decrease of 9½ per cent on two semesters.

"Comparing with the enrollment of some of the other colleges from whom data has been received, we find that Central College, including, academy, enrolled 262 for the year, Missouri Wesleyan, including the academy and not including special departments, 292, Missouri Valley College, including academy, 304, William Jewell College, students only, 247, Westminster College, college students only, 153, Park College, including the academy, 447.

"The prospects indicate an enrollment of more than 600 for the summer quarter."

BOYS' STATE FAIR SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

The boys' state fair school examination will be held Saturday, June 4, at the Maryville high school building, it was announced today by County Superintendent Bert Cooper.

All boys between the ages of twelve and seventeen, regardless of their grade in school are eligible to compete in this examination which will consist of three subjects—agriculture, geography and arithmetic.

The winner will be entitled to represent Nodaway county at the State Fair held at Sedalia August 14-20, and while there his expenses will be paid by the state.

SILESIAN TOWN UNDER BOMBARDMENT BY POLES.

Berlin, May 25.—The Silesian town Lesenits which was recently occupied by German volunteers is under bombardment by Polish artillery, according to advice from the Silesian front today.

Miss Hazel Lowden, a student of the State Teachers College, left today for her home at New Point, Mo.

C. C. Corwin went to St. Joseph this morning on a short business trip.

KNABB FARM CLUB HAS 4-REEL PICTURE SHOW

Maryville Folks Have Good Time At Rural Community Gathering At Knabb Schoolhouse.

At least 150 people, it was estimated, attended the Farm Club meeting at the Knabb School house last night. A number of visitors from Maryville and from other clubs were present. The following composed the party from Maryville:

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hosmer, Mr. and Mrs. George A Pickens, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curfman, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kinnaird, Albert Kuchs, Ralph Marcell and Arch Frank.

The Chamber of Commerce Secretary's report was shown, and in addition the Farm Club bought a two-reel comedy, making four reels of pictures. Emmett Scott backed his truck up the proper distance from the schoolhouse and the projector was put on the truck and the screen on the west end of the school house. Frank Hall jacked up the rear wheel of his car, screwed the generator on the running board, slipped the belt on the rear wheel, and the four-reel picture show was under way. Sandwiches and ice cream were served after the show.

"Did we have a good time?" said one of the Maryville party. "I'll say we did, every minute."

APOPLEXY CAUSES DEATH OF OTT MASTERS TODAY

Dies At 2:15 O'clock This Afternoon While Visiting At His Home—No Funeral Arrangements Made.

Ott Masters, age forty-five, died at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon at his home west of Maryville while sitting on the front porch visiting with wife and a neighbor, William Dempsey. The cause of his death was pronounced to be apoplexy. He had been in good health for the past few months, and his death came as a shock to his family and friends.

No funeral arrangements have been made. Besides his wife, Mr. Masters is survived by the following brothers and sisters: George, Woodrow and Ed Masters all of Maryville, John Masters of Skidmore, Henry Masters of Omaha, Neb., Mrs. James Dempsey of Maryville, and Mrs. Lizzie Critchfield of Plain View, Tex.

GIRL ESCAPES SERIOUS INJURY IN RUNAWAY

Nettie Bird Is Thrown From Buggy and Severely Bruised But no Internal Injuries.

Miss Nettie Bird, 16 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carr, was seriously injured this morning when the horse she was driving ran away and overturned the buggy on East Third Street. The buggy was not badly damaged.

Miss Bird, who is a student at the State Teachers College, had driven to Maryville but had not yet gone to the College, when she noticed a defective part on the buggy and started to the blacksmith shop on East Third Street to have it repaired. The horse became frightened at something,—the girl could not say what—and ran wildly down the street.

Near the J. E. Stewart home, the horse swerved up on the parkway and the buggy turned over, throwing the girl violently to the ground. She was carried into the Stewart home and did not regain consciousness for several moments.

Mrs. Carr was immediately notified of the accident, but she did not understand over the telephone where the accident had occurred, and it was not until after a two hours' search on first one street and then another that she recognized the buggy lying in front of the Stewart home. She took the girl to her home, four miles south of Maryville where a doctor's examination revealed no broken bones and no apparent internal injuries.

VIOLENCE BREAKS OUT IN IRELAND

GREATEST OUTBURST SINCE SINN FEIN EASTER REBELLION

DESTROY CUSTOMS HOUSE

Damage Is Estimated at $5,000,000—Heavy Fighting Continues With Soldiers in Armored Cars.

Dublin, May 25.—The most gigantic outburst of violence since the Sinn Fein Easter rebellion of 1916 occurred here today when an attempt was made to burn government buildings. The damage was estimated at five million dollars.

The fighting started after the rebels had applied the torch to the customs house. The place was entirely destroyed and the flames spread to adjoining government structures. The whole city was thrown into a panic.

As soon as the alarm was given the British soldiers in full marching equipment began pouring from the barracks and armored cars began rumbling through the streets. Heavy fighting continues.

COLLEGE TRACK MEN GO TO TARKIO FOR DUEL MEET

Dope Shows Two Teams To Be About Evenly Matched With Edge To Maryville.

The College track team will go to Tarkio tomorrow for a duel track and field meet with Tarkio College. This is a post season meet, held in place of the one scheduled earlier in the season which had to be postponed. Coacr Rice expects to take about ten men with him and according to dope they ought to win the meet.

In the meet at Kirksville last Saturday the two schools did not compete in the same events, but as Tarkio won the discus and the mile these events are conceded to her. However the Green and White is strong in the sprints and jumps and by winning first in these and a few seconds in the others Rice's men expect to be victorious.

The following men will probably take the trip: Williams, Steiger, Runyan, Kirby, Adkisson, Mapel, Richards, Wells, Rowlette and Furguson.

AMERICAN GOLF CHAMPIONS LOSE IN BRITISH TOURNEY

Defeat of Bobby Jones, Chick Evans Anr Francis Ouimet Came As Surprise.

Hoylake, Eng., May 25.—More surprises crept into the British amatuer golf tournament today, when Bobby Jones, youthful star, from Atlanta, Ga., and Cyril Tolley, English champion, were put out of the running for the championship cup.

Jones was defeated by A. Graham of Royal Liverpool club with six up and five to play. Tolley lost his match to John Beddard three up and one to play. John Ball defeated J. Douglas, American, in nineteen holes. Jones played in poor form today, his putting being very erratic. His defeat surprised all his followers as his match was considered an easy one today.

Two other American stars, Charles (Chick) Evans and Francis Ouimet, were eliminated in upsets in yesterday's play. Evans was defeated by one of his own team, Capt. W. C. Fownes, while Ouimet was put out by the Yorkshire champion, Charles Hodgson.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Generally fair and continued warm to-night and Thursday.

EMPIRE THEATRE TONIGHT

AND TOMORROW NIGHT

"Twin Beds"

Dedicated to those who have lost their smile.

a well known popular comedy starring MR and MRS. CARTER DEHAVEN. Also Sunshine comedy tonight and Pathe News and the second episode of "THE RANGER" Thursday night. No extra charge.

Our Great May Dollar Sale

THE last three days of Our Great May Sale, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, will be Dollar Days at this store.

Read every item in this advertisement and check the ones which you wish to purchase, then bring the advertisement to the store with you, it will make shopping much easier.

SHEETS — $1
Full bleached seamless sheets, "Wearwell" quality, 72x90 inches, each only

4 PILLOW CASES — $1
4 pillow cases made of "Wearwell" sheeting, excellent quality, size 45x36 inches, a real bargain at 4 for only

8 YARDS "DAISY" MUSLIN — $1
8 yards "Daisy" muslin, that extra fine, soft finish muslin will be only

UNBLEACHED MUSLIN — $1
11 1-9 yards, or 9c for one yard, of an excellent quality of unbleached muslin for only

FEATHER PROOF TICKING — $1
4 1-6 yards of the very best "Amoskeag" A. C. A. ticking, blue and white stripe, 32 inches wide, for only

36 INCH OUTING — $1
4 yards of excellent quality, extra heavy weight, 36 inch pure white outing flannel, will be only

6 YARDS OUTING — $1
6 yards of extra fine quality, 27 inch pure white outing flannel only

MIDDY TWILL — $1
4 yards extra good quality 36 inch pure white middy twill only

9 YARDS DRESS GINGHAM — $1
9 yards of fancy dress gingham, large assortment of plaids and checks, 27 inches wide, only

6 YDS. CHAMBRAY GINGHAM — $1
6 yards of plain color chambray gingham, reliable grade, for only

APRON GINGHAM — $1
8 yards "Amoskeag" apron check gingham, the very best on the market will be only

10 YARDS CALICO — $1
10 yards of the very best American Calico in both light and darks, only

32 INCH GINGHAM — $1
3 yards of a very beautiful assortment of 32 inch Zephyr gingham will be only

5 YARDS SHIRTING — $1
5 yards excellent quality shirting cheviots will be only

6 YARDS PERCALE — $1
6 yards of 36 inch excellent quality both light and dark color percale will be only

CRETONNE — $1
One big lot of cretonne in a large range of patterns will be 2 yards for only

CHALLIES — $1
36 inch Cotton Comfort Challies in a large range of patterns will be 5 yards for only

CURTAIN NETS — $1
One lot of very fine quality lace curtain nets, will be 2 yards for only

CURTAIN MATERIALS — $1
For every $5.00 you spend for other curtain materials not already advertised, you will get off

TABLE DAMASK — $1
2¼ yards of mercerized table damask, excellent quality, 58 inches wide, only

DRESS LINENS — $1
36 inch Dress Linen, excellent quality in all the plain colors will be per yard only

10 TOWELS — $1
10 cotton huck towels, good grade, plain white hemmed, 16x32 inches, for only

6 YARDS LINEN TOWELING — $1
6 yards of excellent quality natural linen toweling will be only

4 YARDS LINEN TOWELING — $1
4 yards of absolutely all linen "Stevens" crash toweling will be only

3 BATH TOWELS — $1
3 pure white Turkish bath towels, large size, regular 50c values will be 3 for only

CANTON FLANNEL — $1
8 yards Canton flannel, unbleached, nap on one side, twilled on the other, only

COTTON BATS — $1
3 pound cotton bats, milled in one large sheet 72x90 inches each only

ROMPER CLOTH — $1
4 yards of romper cloth, assorted stripes, this is a wonderful material for children's rompers, only

4 YARDS KIMONA CREPE — $1
4 yards of cotton crepe, suitable for kimonas, etc., in a large range of patterns, will be only

4 YARDS UNDERWEAR CREPE — $1
4 yards of plisse crepe in flesh color only, for

4 YARDS PAJAMA CREPE — $1
40 inch excellent quality pajama check in white and flesh color, 4 yards for only

6 YARDS PINK LONG CLOTH — $1
Excellent quality of flesh color long cloth, $1.65 for 10-yard bolt, or 6 yards for only

6 YARDS NAINSOOK — $1
6 yards excellent quality 36 inch white nainsook for only

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR — $1
Here is one of the biggest bargains that we have offered in muslin underwear for several years. One large table with different kinds of garments, and every one of them a "Dove" garment, will be closed out during these three days at per garment only

TOILET WATER — $1
All 75c Toilet Water will be two bottles for

GEORGETTE CREPE — $1
40 inch Georgette crepe in a wonderful range of colors, excellent quality will be 2-3 yard for only

CREPE DE CHINE — $1
40 inch Crepe De Chine, the very finest quality, during these three days we will sell you any color you want at 2-3 yard for only

36 INCH BLACK MESSALINE — $1
One yard of 36 inch black satin messaline will be only per yard

SILKS — $1
For every $5.00 you spend for silks not otherwise advertised, you will get off

HANDBAGS — $1
All handbags are now being sold at 25 per cent off, (this means that for every $4.00 you spend for handbags, you will get off)

SILK HOSE — $1
An excellent quality in ladies' silk hose in black, white and brown only per pair

2 PAIRS SILK HOSE — $1
2 pairs ladies' fibre silk hose in black and brown will be 2 pairs for only

2 PAIRS LISLE HOSE — $1
Ladies' excellent quality lisle hose, the kind that were sold last fall at $1.00 per pair will be now only 2 pair for only

CHILDREN'S HOSE — $1
3 pairs of excellent quality mercerized ribbed stockings for girls in black, white and brown will be only

PINK BLOOMERS — $1
Ladies' pink bloomers, elastic top and elastic knee, per pair only

KNIT UNDERWEAR — $1
For every $5.00 you spend for underwear, you will get off (This means 20 per cent off on all underwear).

CROCHET THREAD — $1
8 balls of "Klostersilk" crochet cotton, the very best on the market, white that will stay white, and colors that will boil, 8 balls for only

MULSIFIED COCOANUT OIL — $1
3 bottles of Mulsified Cocoanut Oil will be only

FACE POWDER — $1
One large assortment of assorted brands of face powder will be 5 boxes for only

MELBA FACE POWDER — $1
3 boxes of Melba Face Powder will be only

WAISTS — $1
All our waists have been greatly reduced in price during these three days, we will give you a still further reduction of 10 per cent, (this means for every $10.00 you spend for waists, you will get off)

TALCUM POWDER — $1
All our fine grade of talcum powder, the regular 25c and 35c sizes, will be 5 cans for

TOILET ARTICLES — $1
20 per cent off of all toilet articles not already advertised, (this means that for every $5.00 worth of toilet articles you will get off

SUITS — $1
All our suits have been drastically cut in price, but for these three days selling for every $10.00 you spend for a new suit, we will give you a further reduction of

CLOAKS — $1
All our cloaks have been greatly reduced in price, but during this Sale we will give you a further reduction. For every $10.00 you spend for a cloak we will give you

DRESSES — $1
All our dresses have been greatly reduced in price. We will give you a further reduction of 10 per cent, which means for every $10.00 you spend for a new dress you will get this extra reduction of

CHILDREN'S DRESSES — $1
One big lot of children's gingham dresses in assorted styles and colors in sizes 2 to 14, will be each only

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Editorial Sparks.

If George Harvey will lick Horatio Bottomley for us, while he's in England, we promise to forgive everything.—Nashville Tennessean.

If Mr. Edison thinks college students are ignoramuses, let him try a college entrance examination.—Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

Senator Knox's resolution is a reminder that statesmanship must possess patience as well as energy and industry.—Washington Star.

Hannibal, Mo., has just elected a Democratic Mayor. Competent political microseismometrographers inform us that this infinitessimal symptom of a coming Democratic upheaval is reliable, and Lord speed the day.—Houston Post.

And while we do not wish in any way to interfere with the world's matchless exhibition of agony, we do take the liberty of suggesting that "them pears is et."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Mark Twain said a gold mine was a hole in the ground owned by a liar. If Mark had lived in Kansas he would have applied his definition to an oil well.—Medicine Lodge (Kan.) Index.

The Einstein theory has no relation to the original "Ein Stein" theory, which everybody used to understand and which was closely related to the popular theory of "Zwei Bier."—Greenwich (Conn.) News and Graphic.

UNCLE OF GERMAN OFFICIAL IS INMATE OF POORFARM

Montgomery City, Mo., May 25.—August Groener, eighty-nine, an uncle of General Groener, new Social Democrat Minister of Posts and Transportation in the German Cabinet at Berlin, is an inmate of the Montgomery County Poorfarm, here.

Leaving Germany sixty-nine years ago, Groener came to this country and engaged in cabinet making for a Chicago company. He came to this county twenty-nine years ago and three years ago was disabled by a stroke of paralysis. Being without funds, he entered the infirmary for the penniless aged.

Expressing elation over the prominence gained by his noted kinsman, Groener declares emphatically, that he is considerably more interested in American independence than in puzzling himself with German affairs.

"I have only a few more years of life," he says, "and I am content to remain here with my friends. I believe that the greatest characteristic of the American is his spirit of charity and his eagerness to care for the unfortunate."

Miss Meryl Stark of Independence, Kan. is in Maryville for an extended visit with her grandmother, Mrs. Thana Hope.

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The Story of Our States

By JONATHAN BRACE

XLV.—OKLAHOMA

OKLAHOMA holds the record for rapid growth. It was in the first term of President Benjamin Harrison that Oklahoma was opened up. Good farm land available under the Homestead Act was difficult to find so the United States bought from the Indians, who had been segregated in Indian territory, a large tract of some 40,000 square miles that had been used largely by the Indians as pasture for their cattle and horses. This was called Oklahoma, a word meaning "fine country," and was arranged to be ready for sale to homesteaders at 12 o'clock noon of April 22, 1889. Troops were placed on guard to prevent any settlers entering before that time for more than 100,000 "boomers" as they were called, came from all over the country to obtain farms or places for business. On the stroke of the hour, bugles sounded and the mad rush by men, women and children to locate claims began. The government had arranged land officers at many places at which claims could be filed for the farms or city lots, and all that day these were besieged by fighting mobs to register their selections. Before nightfall hundreds of farms were staked out and Oklahoma City and Guthrie were well on their way to become cities.

Thus was developed this region which came into the possession of the United States as a part of the Louisiana Purchase in 1803 and which was set aside for so many years as Indian country. Previous to the formation of Oklahoma territory, congress had forbidden white settlers in this part of the country, and this edict was enforced by federal troops. As the demand for more land was felt and as the Indians decreased in numbers, Indian territory was added to Oklahoma territory, and in 1907 it was admitted to the Union as the State of Oklahoma, adding another star to our flag, which for eleven years had contained forty-five. The state has flourished to such an extent that it has ten presidential electors, which is more than double that of many of the older states of larger size.

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YOUNG NODAWAY COUNTY FARMER TOPS HOG TRADE

Loren Hacket, young farmer and feeder of Nodaway county, was one of the recipients of top honors in the hog division Tuesday, his consignment of light butchers crossing the scales at $8.25 to an order buyer. They were mostly of the Duroc breed and showed the result of careful handling. The offering was of Mr. Hacketts own raising and feeding and reflected credit on his feeding ability. "This warm weather is sure fine on corn, which is growing nicely," remarked Mr. Hackett, "but a warm rain would be highly beneficial. Of course, the crop is not suffering yet from lack of moisture and could stand dry weather for some little time, but a good soaking rain would bring it out fine. Other grain crops are also making good progress, altho some oats had to be replanted after the Easter freeze."—Stock Yards Journal.

DR. DAVID JAYNE HILL MAY BE NEXT GERMAN AMBASSADOR.

Washington, May 25.—Dr. David Jayne Hill of New York, former United States Ambassador to Germany, is slated to again fill that post in Berlin, according to reports about the Capital. He is also spoken of the possible selection for the difficult post at Tokio, but in official circles he is termed as a "sure bet" for Berlin.

Dr. Hill has held many important Government posts. From 1898 to 1903 he served as Assistant Secretary of State, after which he was appointed United States Minister to Switzerland, where he remained until 1905. He then served two years as Minister to the Netherlands. In 1908 he was appointed United States Ambassador to Germany and served in that post until 1911.

Previous to holding his first Government post Dr. Hill was president of the University of Rochester.

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POLK TOWNSHIP SUNDAY SCHOOLS TO MEET HERE

Will Have Banquet, Institute, and Election of Officers at First Christian Church.

Sunday schools of Polk Township, District, No. 9 of the Nodaway County Sunday School Association, will have their institute and annual election of officers next Tuesday, May 31. A banquet will be served at the First Christian Church at a nominal charge by the Loyal Women's Class of the church.

Polk Township has eleven Sunday schools which are eligible to send representatives to the institute and banquet. They are those of the Maryville Christian, First Methodist, M. E. South, Presbyterian and Baptist, and Mount Ayr, Myrtle Tree, Rockford, Wilcox M. E. and Christian, and Bedison Christian.

Each school is invited to send its superintendent, secretary, adult and home superintendent, young people's superintendent, and children's division superintendent. Any others that the superintendent of the school wants to bring will be provided for if he notifies Miss Bertha Anderson, secretary.

The officers who will be replaced at the annual election are as follows: president, Fred French; vice-president, the Rev. Thomas Young; secretary, Miss Bertha Anderson; treasurer, D. E. Hotchkins; children's division superintendent, Ellis Cook; young people's superintendent, Miss Hazel Peery and Mrs. Ernest Wray; adult and home superintendent, Miss Nida Onstott; administration superintendent, C. C. Leeson.

Negro Is 121 Years Old.

Fulton, Mo., May 25.—John Johnson, negro, who claims he is 121 years old, is blind, but he sees through the eyes of his son.

Johnson lives on his 160 acre farm near Williamsburg, which was given to him in Civil War days, shortly after slavery was abolished by his former "master," Joseph Everhart.

Johnson has sent one of his sons, sixty years old, to Fulton to visit J. E. Maughs and J. L. Maughs, grandsons of the man who formerly owned Johnson, as a slave, so he could be able to tell his father how they looked on his return home. Johnson's memory of them was as he had seen them as young men, more than a quarter of a century ago.

Johnson was born in 1799, and it is claimed that he has papers to bear out his birth record.

He came to Missouri in 1835 as the property of Joseph Everhart.

His sixty-year-old son is his youngest.

DID DOG COMMIT SUICIDE.

Attorney in Damage Suit Says Plaintiff's Canine Threw Himself in Way of Automobile.

Boston, May 25.—Did John Chaisson's dog, driven to the desperate deed by fleas, commit suiside by jumping in front of Attorney Peter J. Donaghue's automobile? Such is the solemn question propounded by Attorney Donaghue, who is fighting a $1,000 damage suit for killing the animal. In filling his complaint Chaisson set forth in grave legal terms that the dog was "in the exercise of due care and diligence" when he collided with the automobile and shuffled off this mortal coil.

With equal solemnity, in one of the most remarkable documents ever filed in Suffolk Superior Court, Donaghue replies:

"That said dog was crossing street the said dog was crossing the street in front of the defendant's automobile and that as he reached the center of the street he suddenly turned and revolved in a circle, snapping and biting at other animals that were hidden from the defendant's view by the long hair of the dog's tail.

"And the dog becoming despondent at his inability to dislodge the said small animals, hurled himself under the defendant's automobile and thereby committed suicide."

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LIVE STOCK PRICES LOWER— SMALL DECLINE IN HOGS.

Kansas City Stock Yards, May 24, 1921.—Live stock markets started the week with lower prices. Fat cattle declined 15 to 25 cents, hogs were weak to 10 cents lower, and sheep and lambs down 25 to 50 cents. Last week clipped sheep and lambs reached the highest price level of the year, and a break this week was anticipated. The cattle market rallied late last week, and the break today left quotations about the same as a week ago.

Today's Receipts.

Receipts today were 15,000 cattle, 15,000 hogs, and 16,000 sheep, compared with 13,000 cattle, 17,000 hogs, and 10,000 sheep a week ago, and 10,500 cattle, 16,500 hogs and 15,100 sheep a year ago.

Beef Cattle.

All markets reported liberal supplies of cattle and lower prices today. Chicago had the largest supply in several weeks past. Here trading opened slowly but as soon as a 15 to 25 cent decline was established, the movement over the scales became fairly free. Strictly full fed steers were rather scarce, and the half fat kinds and those showing grass sap are increasing. The better grades were no more than 15 cents lower. Cows and heifers were offered freely and declined 10 to 15 cents. Veal calves were weak and bulls 25 cents lower.

Stockers and Feeders

Thin cattle were in liberal supply at 25 cents lower prices. A good many south west range steers were included in the run. The liberal offerings and lower prices offered a good time to buy.

Hogs

Hogs were steady to 10 cents lower, mostly steady, compared with Friday. The top price was $8.85 and bulk of sales $8.30. Pigs were steady, top $8.75. In the past three weeks the price movement in hogs has amounted to only 15 to 25 cents. The range has narrowed materially since late April. Light weights are commanding a smaller premium over medium and heavy weights. Feeders are taking all the thin hogs and pigs offered.

Sheep and Lambs

Prices for sheep and lambs broke 50 to 75 cents today owing to liberal receipts. In some cases prices in Chicago were off $1.00. Spring lambs here were quoted up to $12.25 and clipped Texas wethers up to $6.00. Some clipped Colorado fed lambs sold up to $10.25.

Horses and Mules

Receipts of horses and mules were moderate. Prices were unchanged. Demand was much the same as for some weeks past.

Charles M. Pipkin,
Market Correspondent.

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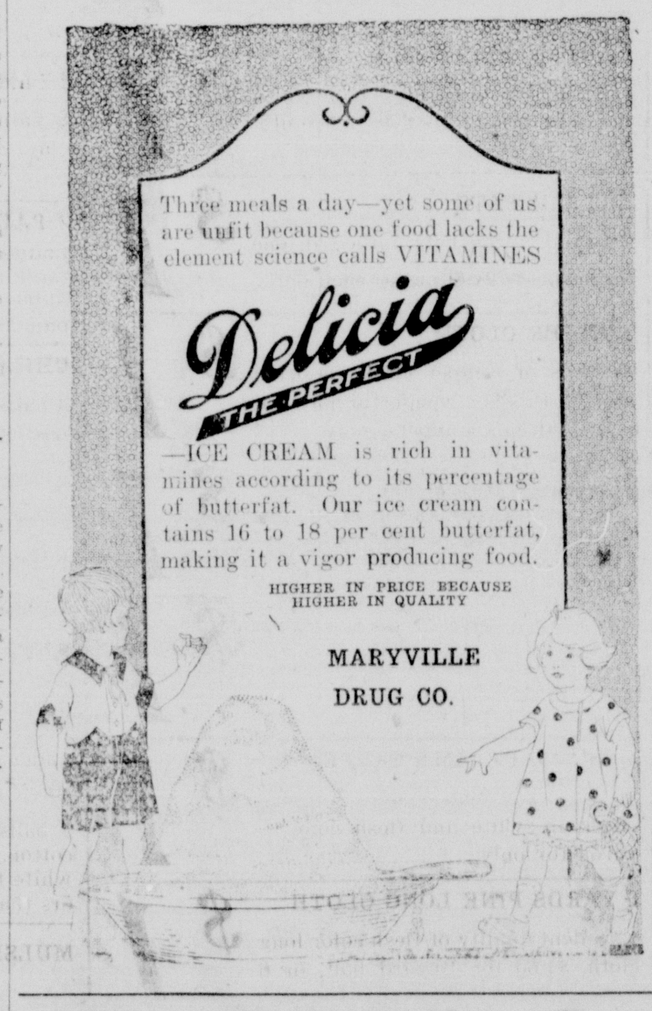

Bad Blood Disfigures Young Faces With Unsightly Eruptions

The mortifying and unsightly skin and facial disfigurements on young people from 14 to 20 years old are seldom due to anything worse than impure blood. The young bodies are undergoing important changes, and the blood stream is temporarily disordered—often filled with poisonous waste matter.

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Who in Hell started this anyway.
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Summer-excursion tickets will be on sale beginning June 1st, final return limit, October 31st; diverse route and liberal stop-over privileges.

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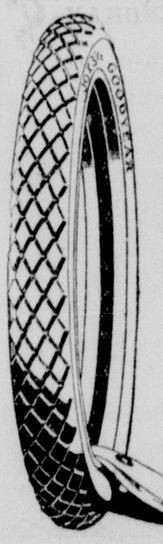

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FOR SALE—Well improved 8R, might consider small town property. John Graves, Maryville, Route 2. M21-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—4 room cottage, one lot, 421 South Vine; 5 room cottage, 213 East 5th St., both clean and nice; also 502 East 1st St., the best modern 11 room home in the city. See me at office. I cannot talk business over the phone. Chas. Hyslop. M26tf.

FOR SALE—Spirella Corsets. Mrs. Henry Cook, both phones. A30-M28

FOR SALE—Special for May Bargain Week: all kinds of dishes, brass beds $12.50, army cots and 20 lb. pad $9.90; all leather rocker $6.50 to $15.00, white enamel beds $12.50, white enamel kitchen cabinet $39.00, ivory dresser, $15.00. Case Furniture Exchange. 23-25

FOR SALE OR RENT—5 room cottage 5 blocks west of square. Call Farmers 143 or 33. See J. W. Herndon. 23-25

FOR SALE—A Detroit gasoline stove at 204 South Vine. Call Farmers 174-11. 23-25

FOR SALE—15 pure bred White Leghorn hens. Mrs. John Neal, 602 East Fourth. Hanamo 3645. 24-26

FOR SALE—Sweet potato plants, Nancy Hall and Jersey, 50c per 100. F. M. Grundel, Farmers 50-18. 24-26

FOR SALE—Good large wooden packing boxes. D. E. Hotchkin, Third and Main. 25-27

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—Second hand furniture, stoves, rugs, etc., of all kinds. Case Furniture Store, 208 N. Main St., Han. 530, Far. 310. S27tf.

WANTED—Bath robes, blankets and curtains to launder. Mrs. Anna Belcher, 206 N. Newton, Hanamo 526. 17-30*

FOUND—license plate and tire bracket near Pleasant Grove Church. Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying for this ad.

LOST—A wire wheel Fiske red top tire and bracket. Return here. A reward. 23-25

FOUND—Ladies brown oxford for left foot. Practically new owner identify at this office. 23-25

LOST—Boston bull pup, brown. A reward. Return to Donald Williams. 23-25

WANTED—To hear from someone having a piano to rent. Call 830 S. Buchanan, Hanamo 3241. 24-26

LOST—A white cashmere baby coat on Maryville-Savannah road Saturday. Return to Democrat-Forum. 24-26

FOR RENT—A room in modern home. 610 E. Fourth street. 24-26

WANTED—We want you to know that we have a wonderful machine that will thoroughly wash your rugs and carpets, restore the color, destroy moths and germs, making them absolutely sanitary. Satisfaction guaranteed. Hanamo 611, Hamilton Beach Cleaners. 25-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Staples of Burlington Junction were in Maryville shopping today.

A daughter was born last night to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Caudle of Burlington Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Herndon of Parnell visited in Maryville today.

WANTED

Horses and mules. Phone what you have—I will call and buy or invoice them.

J. A. Ford

Hanamo 31. Far. 161.

MARKET REPORTS

Kansas City, May 25.—CATTLE—Receipts, 5,000; steers, $7.50 to $8.25; cows, $6 to $8.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 15,000; top, $8.20; bulk, $7.75 to $8.05.

CORN—May, 53½.

WHEAT—May, $1.37½.

Chicago, May 25.—CATTLE—Receipts 10,000.

HOGS—Receipts 28,000.

SHEEP—Receipts 12,000.

St. Joseph, May 25.—CATTLE 1,800. Cattle 10 cents lower.

HOGS—Receipts 16,000; top $8.05. Hogs 25 cents lower.

SHEEP—Receipts 4,000.

LOCAL MARKETS

Eggs per dozen	14c
Hens per lb.	20c
Roosters per lb.	6c
Spring chickens per lb.	35c
Ducks per lb.	15c
Geese per lb.	8c
Hides per lb.	3c
Butterfat per pound	20c

ATTEMPTS HAVE BEEN MADE TO HOLD UP AUTOISTS.

Several complaints have been made by people riding in automobiles at night that they were fired at by a group of men at different places with the intent either to hold up autoists or for the purpose of scaring people.

Byron Costello, who was driving home last evening from St. Joseph, noticed several men at the Baker school house on the Bennett Lane road near the turn at the school house. Mr. Costello had to slow down his car and when the men saw that the car was occupied by five persons no attempt or effort was made to stop the car. Mr. Costello said the men were rough looking.

To Visit Allan Home.

Mrs. Wiley Ennis and children of Nevada, Mo., are expected to arrive in Maryville tonight for a visit with Mrs. Ennis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Allan.

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If you want to put an end to separator troubles—

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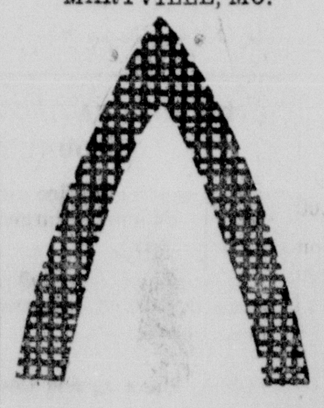

Willard Batteries

COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM IS ANNOUNCED

Graduating Exercises of the State Teachers College Will Last Three Days—Program in Detail.

The complete program for the commencement exercises of the State Teachers College which includes the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday afternoon, June 5, the class day exercises on Monday morning, June 6, and the presentation of the diplomas and the class address on Tuesday morning, June 7, closing with the Alumni banquet Tuesday night, has been announced.

Hon. W. L. Harding, Ex-Governor of Iowa, will give the annual class address on Monday morning. Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, pastor of the Maryville First Christian Church, will preach the baccalaureate sermon.

The complete program for Tuesday morning is:

Orchestra overture.

The Processional.

Invocation.

Piano Solo, "Troisieme Ballade," Chopin.—Mary Carpenter.

Violin Solo, "Romance," from "Second Concerto," Wieniawski.—Mr. Kutchinski.

Introductory address—Hon. W. A. Riggs, President of the Board of Regents.

Annual Address—Hon W. L. Harding, Ex-Governor of Iowa.

Presentation of the class.—Dean G. H. Colbert.

Award of certificates, diplomas and degrees.—President Ira Richardson.

The Rev. Mr. Snodgrass, pastor of the First Christian Church, will preach the baccalaureate sermon, Sunday, June 5 at 3 o'clock. The music will consist of an anthem, "Father in Heaven," Largo from "Xerxes" by Handel; a solo, "Sun of My Soul," from the "Ten Virgins" by Gaul, sung by Miss Margaret James with violin obligato by Mr. Kutschinski; and the hymn, "Savior Again To Thy Dear Name."

Monday morning, June 6, the class day exercises will be given as follows:

Piano solo.—Mary Margaret Richey.

Presentation of the Senior Cane—Charles Wells, president of the class.

Response—Paul Pickens, president of the Junior class.

Class History and Prophecy—Alma Lucas.

Vocal solo—Faye Townsend.

Presentation of the gift—Edith Holt.

Tree oration—Ira Frantz.

Class song—Graduation class; song was written by Minnie James.

The first part of this program will occur in the auditorium, the last two numbers will be given on the campus around the class tree.

The Alumni banquet which closes the commencement period will be held Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock

JUNIORS AND SOPHOMORES ENJOY WALKS LAST NIGHT.

The senios and freshmen again came out victorious, fi there be such a thing as victory, in the fight with the sophomores and juniors of the Maryville High School last night. If you hear the old school bell ringing wildly in the night, or some loud war whoops, don't be frightened, it's just the High School lads continuing their warfare.

One boy was seen going to school this morning holding his sides. He complained of having a little backache and when asked the cause, said he had been taken to a farm about ten miles west of Maryville with another boy and left to foot it back to town. A kind old farmer, when being awakened, took the boys in for the night and let them walk to town this morning. Other boys were taken to Pickering, and still others tied under a culvert west of the Bellows farm.

Will Drive to Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wilderman and daughter, Odette, will leave Monday in their car for Philadelphia where they will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wilderman's daughter. Mrs. Will Hutchison and her husband. They expect to make the trip in about a week. They will be gone about four months and expect to locate in Colorado on their return.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hutchinson of Hopkins were Maryville visitors today.

Mrs. Anna Byrnes and her daughter, Mrs. Aaron Felix, of St. Joseph, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Costello.

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Card of Thanks

To all those kind friends, who by their sympathy and kindness have helped us in the burial of our Soldier dead, do we offer sincerest thanks. Especially do we thank Rev. A. S. Olson for his consoling and helpful discourse, all those Soldiers who by their presence showed their comradship, the Modern Woodmen of America, the Barnard choir and the Guilford quartette. May a just God reward you.

Mrs. Jennie O'Howell and Family.

MRS. WALTER M'DOWELL DIES TODAY AT SKIDMORE

Death Follows Three Months Illness—No Funeral Arrangements Have Been Made.

Mrs. Leta McDowell, wife of Walter McDowell living near Skidmore, died at 4:30 o'clock this morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David White at Skidmore. Mrs. McDowell was nineteen years of age and her death resulted from a complication of diseases. She had been in failing health for the last three months, her condition becoming critical Monday morning. She had been married less than a year.

Funeral arrangements for Mrs. McDowell have not been made. Besides her husband and parents, she is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Dale Latta, Dorothy White, William and Charles White all of Skidmore, Mrs. Blanche Van Sant of Albuquerque, N. Mex., Mrs. Bessie Felman of Winfield, Ia., Mrs. Jessie Davis of Winfield and Lloyd Latta of Lincoln, Neb.

GEORGE PETTY HIGH MAN AT COLLEGE PARK MEET

Scores 28 Points in Races With Youthful Competitors—Girls Have Events, Too

George Petty was high point man in the grade school track and field meet which was held at the College yesterday afternoon. He made 28 points by winning five firsts and one second.

The meet was held under the direction of Coach Robert Rice and was run off in record time. The scores:

Class A

100 yard dash—Petty, Gibson, Miller.

220 yard dash—Petty, Gibson, Miller.

120 yard lows—Petty, Miller Gibson

High jump—Petty, Gibson, Miller.

Broad jump—Petty, Miller Gibson.

Pole vault—Gibson, Petty, Miller.

Class B.

100 yard dash—McKee, Barrett, Mitchell.

220 yard dash—McKee, Barrett.

High jump—McKee, Mitchell, Barrett.

Pole vault—Fannon, McKee, Barrett.

Class C.

50 yard dash—Trullinger, Leeson, Bartram.

Broad jump—Trullinger, Bartram, Hobbs.

Hop, step, jump—Trullinger, Bartram.

Class D.

50 yard dash—Thorpe, Wood Eversole.

Three-legged race—Won by Thorpe and Peters.

Class E.

Relay race—Messinger, Start, Wood, Hamilton, Clark.

Walking race—Bovard, Dawson, Wood.

Girls.

Class A.

Nail driving—Helen Peter, Mildred Ashford, Virginia White.

Distance throwing—Mildred Ashford, Helen Peter, Virginia White.

Walking race—Lettie Peter, Helen Peter, Mildred Ashford.

Class B.

50 yard dash—Frona Dorman.

Relay race—Frona Dorman, Marion Dawson, Noreen White.

Walking race—Marion Dawson, Frona Dorman.

Class C.

Potato race—Airdel Chick, Eudora Smith, Grace Mitchell.

30 yard dash—Airdel Chick, Gladys Mitchell, Eudora Smith.

Class D.

Egg race—Larue Robey, Gladys Bartram, Helen Kerr.

30 yard dash—Clemma Burris, Larue Robey, Gladys Bartram.

Class E

Egg race—Alice England, Hazel Gates, Verde Danner.

One-legged race—Verde Danner, Alice England, Helen Kerr.

30 yard dash—Verde Danner, Helen Kerr, Alice England.

The officials of the meet were:

Referee—R. C. Rice, starter—Wm. Mapel, timer—Dr. Hobbs, field judges—Leslie Powell and Leston Webb.

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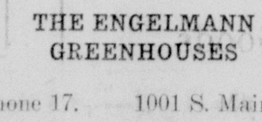

Maryville Steam Laundry

DOUGLAS SCHOOL CHILDREN TO HAVE PICNIC FRIDAY.

The children of the Douglas school will have a picnic Friday afternoon in the school yard. Various games and races are being planned for their entertainment and the members of the Mother's club will be guests at the frolic.

PREPARATIONS FOR DIVORCE CASE STILL BEING MADE

New York, May 25.—Counsel for James Stillman, former president of the National City Bank, still were going ahead today with preparations for the trial of the ex-bankers' divorce suit against Mrs. Fifi Stillman as though no negotiations for settlement were in progress. A cipher telegram exchanged between Stillman and Florence Leeds, alleged affinity of the multi-millionaire, may figure conspicuously in evidence if the case comes to trial.

It is learned that what virtually amounts to an ultimatum has been served on the ex-banker. If Stillman does not accept it he may be forced to trial regardless of his wishes.

One of the next moves Mrs. Stillman is contemplating is half million dollars alienation suit against the Leeds woman.

Makes Novel Watch Charms.

Harold Stafford, who is a student at the State Teachers College, has made some new kinds of watch charms which are quite novel and artistic. They are made of peach seeds carved out skillfully in the form of tiny monkeys, which appear almost lifelike in both color and appearance. The work is done with a dull knife blade.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Street and daughter, Miss Cordia, and grandson, Beverly Dale Street, went to Bethany today where they will visit several days with relatives.

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40 inch wide Georgette and Crepe De Chine, high quality, yard .. $1.50

Ladies' Bungalow Aprons at 79c

Hose

Children's black, fine ribbed Hose at 19c

Boys' heavy black ribbed Hose at 23c

Men's fine ribbed Union Suits, long sleeve 89c

Men's open mesh knit Union Suits, short sleeve 89c

Men's heavy work Gloves, Grinnell makes, pair 85c

Men's heavy work Gloves, Grinnell make, gauntlet, pair $1.00

Men's Panama light weight work hats, light and cool at 48c-59c

Men's white canvas Sport Oxford, white rubber sole and heel, two styles ..... $1.25 and $1.75

Men's brown canvas outing or gymnasium shoe leather trimmed red rubber sole, leather insole, real quality $2.19

Same in boys' sizes $1.98

One lot of ladies' and misses' white Canvas Shoes at $1.50

One lot ladies' white Canvas Pumps at $2.50

Just received some new patterns in Voile Dresses to sell at $7.50

A beautiful assortment of New Kimonos in silk and crepe materials ..... $3.50-$11.50

Social Gossip and Clubs

Teachers' Banquet.

The grade teachers of the Maryville public schools will have a banquet at noon Friday at the Barnum Hotel.

Pledged to Sorority.

Miss Lela Robins of Hopkins has been pledged to the Alpha Delta Chapter of Gamma Phi Beta at Missouri University.

Royal Neighbors Meeting.

The Royal Neighbors will meet at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the Modern Woodman hall. All members are urged to be present.

Montgomery Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Montgomery and daughter, Jean, entertained at dinner at noon today having as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Jones of Loveland, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. M. Rittenour and daughter, Miss Eva.

Mickelson Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Heber Michelson entertained at dinner Sunday at their home in honor of Miss Macile Steincamp of Harrisonville, Mo., who is their guest. Plates were laid for Miss Steincamp, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coulter, Misses Bertha and Maude Frede, Ermil Mickelson, Joseph Wagner, Bacile and Jesse Mickelson and the hosts.

Sixth Grade Picnic.

The A. and B. Sixth Grades of the Maryville public schools taught by Mrs. L. E. Ziegler and Miss Vella Booth enjoyed a picnic yesterday afternoon in College park. A field meet of relay races, sack and three-legged races and various games was enjoyed preceeding and following the picnic supper. Sixty-five pupils attended the picnic.

Surprise Dinner.

Sunday, May 20, the neighbors and friends of Mrs. Ed Clark thought that she had forgotten that it was her 60th birthday anniversary and that they would remind her and Mr. Clark of the fact. So accordingly, every one prepared a well filled basket with the good things that only the farmers' wives can prepare and hied themselves to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clark. Mr. Clark had "smelled a mouse," by the strange way some of his friends acted by calling and saying that they would be in to spend the evening with them, but he never said a word to Mrs. Clark and she was really and truly surprised. Nevertheless they were made welcome and all hands got busy and unpacked the baskets of good things, which were served on tables on the lawn. Every one did justice to the splendid dinner, but Mr. Clark and J. R. Bagby, who were a little backward. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bagby, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Hays, Mrs. Noffsinger, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Strickler and daughter, Geraldine, Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGinness and daughter, Leora, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hughes and daughters, Edna and Mabel, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Lowrance and children, Reed and Ruey, Mrs. Susan Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. James Parshall, Mr. and Mrs. Milt Duffey, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cottrell, Mrs. Ed Lowrance and son, Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Winger and children, Dorthy, Opal, Lois and Wayne, Mrs. D. B. Linville, Mr. and Mrs. John Lowrance, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shull, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cook and children, Pauline and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Walton and children, Lois and Morris, Harvey and Leland Linville, Hattie and Rinda Linville, Gladys Neuffer, Maggie Lowrance, Marvin and Dillard Lowrance, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clark and Mrs. Clark's sister, Mrs. Ella Welling of Monta Vista, Colo. Every one present spent a most enjoyable day and wished Mrs. Clark many more such happy birthdays.

Birthday Surprise Party.

Miss Aline Holt was pleasantly surprised last evening when on returning from a picnic, she found a number of her friends gathered at her home on North Mulberry street, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. The honor guest was the recipient of many pretty gifts, and various indoor and outdoor games were played. Miss Stella Brown was awarded the prize and Miss Mildred Massie the consolation prize. The surprisers included Misses Gladys Thompson, Mildred and Lula Massie, Catherine Holt, Beulah Holt, Stella Brown, Pearl Neal, Esther Neal, Bessie Danner, Mary Holt, Audrian Farrar, Lila Dowden, Laura Bell Nicholas, Cleo Holt and Ralph Dowden, Harvey Dowden, Harold Dowden, Thomas Adams, Joe Holt, Stanley Davis, Gilbert Neal, Harold Neal, Hiland Thompson, Babe Wright and Edwin Jones.

Dinner at Wamsley Home.

A dinner party was given last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wamsley south of Maryville when their guests included Misses Helen Burch, Ruby Irwin, May Mahoney, Nannah Ezell, Mildred Wamsley and George Wamsley and Harry Ezell.

Picnic Supper.

A picnic supper was enjoyed last night at the country home of Miss Viola Jones east of Maryville by Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Jones and little son, Harold, Misses Clara Tibbetts, Edna Williams, Mollie Henderson, Mary Rickman, Lou Henderson, Helen Rife, Nettie Smock and Opal Jones.

Picnic at Hosmer Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. LeGrand Gann and daughter, Marian, Mrs. Caroline Leet, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Speirs, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Montgomery and daughter, Jean, H. F. Leet and daughter, Elizabeth, Rev. J. A. Cooper and Harvey L. Haines enjoyed a picnic supper last night at the Hosmer farm south of Maryville.

Picnic at Ogden Home.

A picnic luncheon will be served tonight at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ogden south of Maryville. Their guests will be Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Jones of Loveland, Colo., who have been visiting in Maryville at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery and will leave Friday for their home, Mr. and Mrs. M. Rittelnour and daughter, Miss Eva, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Toel, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Montgomery and daughter, Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ogden and son, Homer, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burris, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Corwin and daughter, Miss Mae, and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery.

Chemistry Picnic.

As the advanced chemistry class of the State Teachers College was to have had a term test this morning, the members of the class met their teacher, M. W. Wilson, on his way to school and took him off to Elm Grove, where a picnic breakfast was enjoyed instead. The members of the class are Misses Bernice Rutledge, Minnie James, Elizabeth Leet, Alma Lucas, Inez Moore, Ada and Bessie Dinsmore, Mildred Eckert, Lena Copeland, Mary Bailey, Mildred Burks, Nell Hudson, Vera McCloud, Jeannie Blacklock, Jesse Boatman, Carl Ferguson, John England, Mr. Smith, Charles Wells, Ira Fantz, Jack Rowlett, Richard Kirby, Paul Miller, Paul Pickens and Mr. Long.

Entertains With Luncheon.

Emmett Bartram was host at a luncheon last night at the Merchants Cafe following the dance at the Elk's club, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holmes of Omaha, Neb., who are visiting in Maryville. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holmes, Misses Helen Dean, Anna Parle, Grace Parle, Ella Farrell, Ruth O'Malley of Albany, Ellen Mitchell, Thelma Tobin and Merle Scleeman, Chester Lyle, Mitchell Welling, Roland Curnutt, Forrest Gillam, Frank Schumacher and the host.

Montgomery Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Jones of Loveland, Colo., will be the honor guests at a dinner given tomorrow night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Montgomery. Other guests will be Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. M. Rittenour, Miss Eva Rittenour and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Toel.

Sophomore Picnic.

The beginning and advanced Sophomore classes of the Maryville high school will have a picnic this afternoon after school hours in some woods southwest of Maryville. A mock track meet and a weiner roast will be features of the picnic. Miss Edna Johnnaber will act as sponsor. There are about sixty-five students in the two classes and the members of the faculty will be guests.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Seipel, living southwest of the city, had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sturm and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Thull and daughter, Maude. The afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Seipel, Minnie, Emma and Louis Gaukel.

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Leather Hand Bags, each....$1.00

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Ladies' black and white slippers, the pair $1.00

Dress Goods

Voiles, Ginghams, Percales and Lawns, beautiful patterns, 5 yards $1.00

One lot of pretty voiles, 3 yards for $1.00

Towels

Good size Huck and Turkish towels 7 for.....$1.00

Muslin

Unbleached Muslin, 36 inches wide, 10 yards for.....$1.00

Hope bleached Muslin, 36 inches wide, 8 yards for.....$1.00

Curtain Material

Dotted Swiss, 36 inches wide, 3 yards for $1.00

Scrim, 36 inches wide, 8 yard for $1.00

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One bolt of good grade table damask, while it lasts, 2 yds. for $1.00

Hats

Beautiful assortment of summer hats, each $1.00

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Wicker baskets with tin lining, 2 baskets for $1.00

Undergarments and Stockings

One counter of silk stockings, black and white, brassieres, camisoles and union suits, choice each $1.00

One counter of stockings and union suits, 2 for.....$1.00

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Choice—4 for $1.00

Good grade gauze vests, 4 for $1.00

Silk Gloves in all colors, 4 for $1.00

Ladies' collars, large selection, 4 for $1.00

Pillow Cases, good grade, 4 cases for $1.00

Linen Toweling, a real bargain, 4 yards for $1.00

Plain and fancy ribbons, four and six inch, 4 yards for.....$1.00

Crochet thread on spools in all colors, 8 spools for.....$1.00

Men's large handkerchiefs, 8 for $1.00

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Fine quality Hair Nets, 8 for $1.00

LIVING STANDARD MUST BE UPHELD

FARMER MUST CONTINUE TO MAKE A PROFIT

ORGANIZE EVERYWHERE

Associations Do Not Raise Price of Food to Consumer Organizers Say.

From the Pacific Coast to the Atlantic Ocean farmers are organizing cooperative marketing associations. These associations are being organized for the express purpose of eliminating competition between producers for the consumer market. The axiom of these associations is that farmers should not compete with farmers for buyers, but for the farmers' product.

The farmers of the Pacific Coast have long been organized into great associations which annually market hundreds of millions of dollars' worth of farm produce every year. They spend millions of dollars advertising their fruits, they ship a uniform product all over the country and have brought the farming community in which they operate from comparative poverty to unparalled prosperity.

Some there are who believe that these associations have been factors in increasing the price of food to the consumer, yet there was no case on record during the period of licensing by the former Food Administration of any one of the Pacific Coast farmers' organizations being accused of profiteering at the expense of the consumer. Others, closer to farm life, who have had an opportunity to watch the development of these associations from their inception, see in them an economic remedy for the system which permits of the elimination of speculation in that most essential of all products—food—and the development of a sane and intelligent system of distribution. California, Oregon and Washington point with pride to the facts that co-operative marketing has developed the purchasing power of the farmer to a degree hitherto unknown in any farming community, and that the standard of living on the Pacific Coast, where co-operative marketing associations function, is higher than that of any other section of the country. Furthermore, that a prosperous agricultural community is one assurance of prosperity to the whole nation.

Organization Now Under Way.

On the other hand, there are some who protest that permission given to the farmers to organize into huge collective marketing associations presumes to give to the farmer a power which is not granted to other lines of industry and that class organization similar to the labor movement is in process of development.

Be all this as it may, farmers of the Middle West are now organizing a national wheat marketing association which is expected to be complete within two years and which will control the distribution of the bulk of the wheat produced in this country. The cotton growers of the South are far advanced with an organization which will virtually control the world's supply of cotton; the tobacca growers are organizing on a scale hitherto undreamed of; the livestock producers are preparing plans for an organization which it is anticipated will take the fixings of prices out of the hands of the Chicago packing houses. In the East, the fruit and vegetable growers are already organizing associations which aim at the elimination of wasteful methods of distribution through consignment to commission houses. All of them base their justification for organization on speculation and the impossibility to continue producing under present economic conditions.

Need For Intelligent Marketing.

The farmers point out that every time they sell a product at a loss, as most of them sold their wheat, cotton, corn, tobacco and late fruits last year, they must absorb this loss out of their standard of living.

The farm youth continues to move from the farm to the city. This exodus, so leaders in agricultural economics think, must continue so long as the farmer markets under a highly competitive and speculative system which precludes stable profits for all he produces. The proponents of organized farm marketing make no bones about the fact that if the farmer is to be kept on the farm he must be permitted to make such a substantial profit as will enable him to maintain a standard of living comparable to that of the city dweller.

The maintenance of this social standard, thinking farmers are now agreed, is a prime problem of economics. The Farm Bureau Federation, a national organization with nearly 2,000,000 active members, is devoting practically all of its efforts to the solution of this economic problem.

"Profit," says Aaron Sapire, a widely known authority on organized marketing in the country, "is represented by marketing, and if this country is to continue to produce sufficient food without importing, an intelligent marketing system must be developed or fewer farmers will continue to produce and there may be an eventual food shortage."

The consumer's viewpoint is: "How does farmers' organization affect me?" "What is my relation to the farmer other than as a consumer per se?" "Will farmer organization mean that I must pay even higher prices for food than I at present pay?" "If farmer organization will eliminate speculation, will it mean cheaper food?"

These questions can best be answered by an analysis of the actual operations of some of the best-known co-operative associations in the country—as to whether they have actually increased prices; whether they are giving the consumer a better quality of product; whether they have justified their economic existance.

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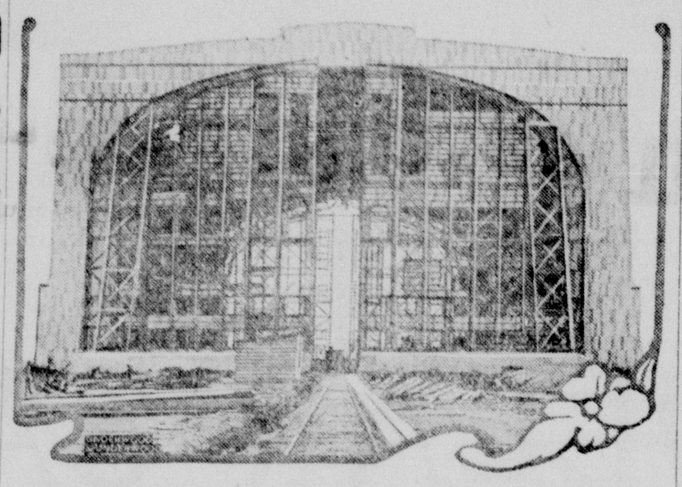
Hangar for Great U. S. Dirigible



Latest photograph of the huge steel hangar being completed at Lakehurst, N. J., for the U. S. navy, to house the British-made United States dirigible, which will fly here soon. The great structure is 800 feet long, 349 feet wide and 207 feet high. Machine shops are being constructed near the hangar, which will be used more for repair and construction work than for storage.

To Visit Miller Family.

Miss Maude Miller of Topeka, Kan. arrived in Maryville last night for an extended visit with her brother, Prof. Harry A. Miller, and family.

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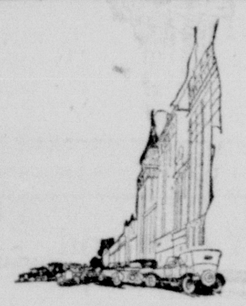

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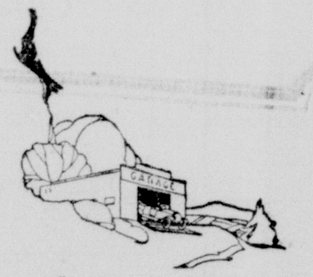

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